



Docket No.: 42390P11446

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

RICHARD COULSON

Application No.: 09/945,266

Filed: August 31, 2001

For: **HARDWARE UPDATED METADATA FOR
NON-VOLATILE MASS STORAGE CACHE**

Art Group: 2186

Examiner: W. Choi

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully Petitions the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to March 03, 2005, from the Office Action dated November 03, 2004. The petition filing fee of \$120.00 and an Amendment and Response to Office Action are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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